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The following information was abstracted from a map purporting to be a secret appendix to operational orders issued by the "South China Central Headquarters" to commanders of the Fa Chih Tul (發支隊)。 The map was received

- The map showed that the axis of the main southward Communist advance will be through wukungshan (114-15, 27-29) to Kanchou (114-54, 25-52), then south and west through Nanhsiung (114-17, 25-13), crossing the Canton-Hankow rail-road at Chuchiang (115-44, 28-15) and Pingshih (平石), then through Ichang (112-57, 25-23) west to Kweilin.
- 2. The map showed the entire belt of territory running east-west along the northern borders of Kwangtung and Kwangsi to be in the hands of area (ti fang\* 地方) armies。
- The offensive appeared to have its origin in the Kan River valley north of
- No movements were shown south of Changsha along the railroad.

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interpreted ti fang as meaning

"local"armies.

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